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SIR:

This is a petition to withdraw the above-identified application from issue pursuant to 37 CFR §1.313(b)(5) so that the Information Disclosure Statement filed herewith may be considered upon the granting of this petition and the enclosed papers requesting the filing of a Continuing Prosecution Application Under 37 CFR §1.53(d).

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.17(i) the required fee for filing this 37 CFR §1.313 petition is included herewith.

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Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the petition be granted and that this aboveidentified application be withdrawn from issue and abandoned and that the Information Disclosure Statement filed herewith be considered in the continued prosecution application.

Respectfully submitted,

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